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In re the Application of

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PARALLEL CONCATENATED DATA

## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 2, 2009, please amend the abovecaptioned application as follows: